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### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

NATIONAL. For President of Indiana Warrataw Rain concession is a recognition of justice

BIATE

ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Michigan; variable winds.

WEATHER. Washington, Sept. 17.-For lower Michigani Fair, warmer in lower by endorsed. Nobody will question Michigan and stationary in upper the superiority of the Memphis system. and the consequent test of the capacity GRAND BIVER. That few persons appreciate the vast They will praise them as highly as the capacity of the pumps of the Artesian benefits to accrue to this city by a Memphis authorities praise their well Water company, which supplies the deepening of the Grand river is attested by the deliberation with which cass at Memphis does not prove that it they enlist their enthusiasm in favor of will be a success in Grand Rapids. Yesterday all three engines were go the project. It ought not to be neces- Engineer Coates, one of the best sary to adopt a single expedient to hydraulic engineers in the world, de- gallons of water. arouse public interest in the scheme.

Its practicability is obvious. Its feasisection is not water-bearing and that a bility is unquestioned. What remains well system will not prove to be a suc- a handsome structure, built of pressed to be done to mangurate the work? First, to convince every man owning plant to sell entertain a different property along the stream that the value of his riparian rights and privileges will be enhanced by a deepening shall prove to be an unfailing supply, of the channel. Once convinced he then the well system may be adopted will be ready to contribute his time and with safety. If anything is to be done, money to bring about the desired end. however it would seem to be both pru-Second, to convence property owners dent and descrable to begin work. To and manufacturers of this city that delay and procrastinate is more exa navigable waterway to Chicago via the new dramage canal to the Gulf of authorities mean well enough, but tapped by the connecting mains. The Mexico, and via the lakes and the Erie they do not take hold of this subject canal to New York, means a quicken- with the firmness and decision they ing of trade and industry and increased would their private business. Any value to every rood of land in the city. amount of information as to the suc-Once convinced of this, there will re-Once convinced of this, there will result a stubborn and resistless movement

York, Boston and other cities will not

the making an average of 8,000,000 a tee expressed themselves as favorably townships yesterday and delegates to

Caucuses were held in several of the day is sufficient to supply the needs of the river. The advantages of leaving a to secure ways and means to dredge avail to secure a supply of water for the river to the required depth. In Grand Rapids. The authorities have stances without number may be cited investigated long enough-let them do to prove that for every dollar expended something. in improving public waterways two dollars are returned to the mercantile. ADLAY is having a glorious time down farming and industrial interests im- south. He is just the kind of a man to mediately affected by it. Millions of tickle the vanity of the unrepentant dollars have been expended at the "crackers," and they are giving him mouths of rivers to provide places of an old-time we come. He fails to ex-

retreat for storm beleagured vessels cite any enthusiasm among the coal thatseek refuge for a brief period, to sail miners of his own state-but there's a feet. They cover an area of many away when the danger is past without wast chasm between northern dollars acres. These wells are of heavy contributing anything to the material and southern democracy. enterests of anybody. Thousands ex-

pended in deepening the Grand river will invite a traffic to and from this city that can be measured by multiplied dollars and by unexampled thrift. There are not a few who believe that to find that intelligence repels duplicthe postponement of the world a fair ity and deceit. is among the future probabilities. The

the rooms of the Lincoln club. Mr. feet long, and conveys the water flowsuperhuman-efforts are being made to Diekeins is a forcible speaker and will ing into it from the wells to the pump get them into presentable condition. It will require at least four months present the issues of the campaign in a manner that will instruct and enter- get into the wells or tunnels save as it time to put on the finishing touches and a like period to receive and put in | tain his hearers.

position the maumerable exhibits. The EVERY patriotic American's heart giving and refreshing. preliminaries have been prosecuted will beat in sympathy for President under an enermonally high tension and Harrison, who remains at the bedside "haste" is written on everything from of his wife in her hours of physical the entrance gates to the docks on the anguish. His loving devotion is a grand lake front. If this tension shall be

will yet be any amount of work to do Gnoven has at last been aroused. before the great show is in perfect con- He says pobody knows what he will dition. It may be possible that the say in his letter of acceptance on the management can surmount every tariff question. Grover needn't to have obstacle and ramove every impedment got red in the neck about it-nobody but it is doubtful. The impetuosity cares what he will say.

This great exposition should be fault. grined hords of howling dervishes that has been pant up for miles and iem. It is to be the greatest and grand. whose determination to immolate him | suddenly breaks forth from its rocky on the altar of hale is fluding vigorous caverns and trees to seek the level of eat spectacle ever presented to the eyes of the civilized world. If there shall expression.

point at Euffalo when he quoted Daniel it will reflect upon the symmetry and Webster's answer to those who cisimed that protection was unconstitutional.

bilities to only \$25,000,000. A mere stal dent to haste and lack of available trifls like \$25,000,000 will not disturb famils, will be corrected and when the them.

fernal machine sent to Governor Flower

In there is any chance for the cholera Bretand has received the first metall- bacillus to knock out the cost trust,

Exax a Flower is not exempt from propagation has been alregated and the base designs of muchrous anar- print in question. W. L. Coats of Kall. The lines office

tem at Memphis.

TEST OF THE GREAT PUMPS

With Their Capacity of 28,000,000 Gallons Per Day-W. L. Coats' Opinion of Local Strata Conditions.

In accordance with a resolution passed ion in reference to the ability of that of water. A few days ago he received the following letter from R. C. Groves, president of the Artesian Meter comit is believed to be the solution of the pany of Memphis, Tennessee: "I am in receipt of yours of August 31 in regard to the Cook wells and our success with same. We are now in the strainer and have supplied the city of In reference to the test of the engines

Report of the Test.

A most successful and pleasing test was made vesterday afternoon of the daily. One engine supplies this need. ing, pumping at the rate of 28,000,000

brick, and containing three Worthington vertical, high duty engines, or pumps, built especially for the plant, at a cost of \$155,000. These stand in a buge circular pit, or dry well, 70 feet deep, lined with brick and coment, and ighted with electricity. Double-deck atforms of open iron work, connected by spiral stairs, render access to all parts of the machinery easy. Below the dry well is the wet well, 25 feet deep, where the water accumulates beof machinery in it.

Capacity of Pumps,

the city.

ong, nmety feet below the surface, charged by sixty odd wells, eighteen of which are connected with the new tunnel just being completed. These sixty wells vary in depth from 350 to 500 wrought iron tubing, such as is generally used for large steam pipes. These tubes are about twenty feet long and are screwed together. At the bottom feet or more below the surface, is a slits, of which there are 24,000. The water mark of the Mississippi river. Connecting all these wells are tunnels seventy-five feet below the surface of the ground. The main tunnel is five J. Diekema will deliver an address in feet inside diamater and nearly 3,000 well, where the big pump forces it into the city mains. In no way can water comes from the artesian sands, 350 or 500 feet below the surface, pure health

Largest in the World,

The pumping station is the largest of its kind in the world, and that there is no other city the size of Memphis where artesian water is in such general use. The feature of the occasion was in a reservoir close to the station. The waste water, or in other words the water not used by the city, was

turned through a measuring vat and out into the Bayou Gayoes. The overflow tank is forty feet long, twelve feet wide and nine feet deep. At the north and the water is forced in from the mains and boils and bubbles up ike some mighty mountain etream its source far up on the opposite ade | public meeting will be held in the evenof the countain. It sarges from here on through the tank and falls lifteen by Prof. G. W. E. Hill, state deputy of feet over the exhaust way into a foam. Michigan, and by F. M. Buffum, state ng, seathing mass of waters below | lecturer of 1 wa. that more than file the drain. The

Mr. Coats Opporton. proclamation has been abrogated and the base designs of municipus anarpoint in question. W. I. Coats of Ralling limits will have the hemalier and frequency will have the third form of partition for reporter for The Beach had been abroaded. Its Peck had been an examination of It contains space for not names and

HOW TO GET WATER to a supply of water in a well average to a supply of water by a well system. That is a question that Mr. Coats is the exponent and the one that he estab-hand at Yperlanti is recognized as one if the best water works systems in the state. Frof. M. E. Cooley, the emment engineering expert from the university, without manifesting any desire to mix homself up in a water equabble, told WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS the reporter last week that there is lit lie question about Mr. Coate' knowledge of Michigan geological conditions, so far as they effect the source and supply of water-that he has apparently mastered the geology of hydraulics. water question in Grand Rapids evidently rests upon the ability of the surrounding country to supply the necessary water, rather than upon the

Appeals for Water. supply of pure and delicious water. Great as the undertaking may be Grand Rapids has led in other lines of an intelligent and progressive nature. Cholers in our midst means untold expense and desolation. Let us take every means and prompt means, too, to avert it. An Anxious Mother.

## WENT TO WASHINGTON.

This train will go by way of Fort Wayne, Pittsburg and Baltimore, and many veterans will be taken on along

The Board of Trade in Favor of River Improvement.

A meeting of the directors of the board of trade was called last night for alone cost \$64,000 without a piece | the purpose of listening to the report of the committee on the improvement The pumps have each a capacity of called to order by Vice President M. S. 10,000,000 gallons a day, and one of Crosby. The members of the commit-Curious as it may seem, Memphis is deep water channel and the cost of obtwenty-five gallons a day per capita is council asking that means might be Considered ample.

The source of the supply is from a channel. The report of the commithuge tunnel or viaduct half a mile tee signed by all the members was

Girls' Sewing Society. ing for this year of the girls' sewing society was held in Good Templar's and is under the direct management of Miss F. B. Shirley, assisted by seven girls ranging in age from 7 to 14 years, were present. After appropriate openbrass strainer fifty feet long. It is a seamless tube, sawed full of horizontal prepared by the superintendent for slits, of which there are 24,000. The forces the water higher than the high is given them for one hour, after which a half hour is spent in gospel and temperance work. The work when finished is taken home by the pupils.

watches lost had been found between the exhibition of surplus water made sandwiches. At the close remarks were made by Dr. J. C. Catdorf, Mr. Ripley and others.

> session in this city in Good Templars' hall Thursday, beginning at 10:30 a. m. The election of officers for the coming year and outlining the plan of work to be pursued, will comprise a portion er. of the business to be transacted. ing, at which addresses will be made

volume of water that pours over the World's har Notes.

partition is five feet wide by two H. K. Porter & Co. of Pittsburg have Banrau Enos, have reduced their lin- doep, and every drop is clear as cry- written to secretary Roberts donating the use of a light locomotive for the At 4 30 o'clock sharp the first wave purpose of showing the mode of loglapped over the side of the partition, ging in Michigan by railway. The and in five minutes a steady stream Bussell Car and Foundry company was flowing over it, while the water have also donated logging cars. A logwas rushing the dam proper at the rate-gong train will be in active operation of 28,000,000 gallons a day, a quantity at the world's fair. Arthur Holl of was intended to blow up Peck's report. sufficient to supply a city of 200,000 Saginaw, chairman of the committee the Fifnt & Pere Marquette road. Is Grover does not finish that letter fire engine in Managine could dis- retary Educate that he proposes to get s said that he has relatives living here. The particulars of the accident were before long there won't be anything in this in case of a general conflagra- up a competition among lumbermen. the coming winter for the largest load of ligs on a single sleigh to be drawn It will be noticed that President by one team. A prize will be offered traves states in his letter that if the in this competion. The lead will be underlying conditions are the same shipped to Chosgo and pisced on a

gwn defense, and to retress his wrongs. democrate would have canonized him. the strata in the vicinity of Grand Rap- will be circulated for eighers.

THEY DON'T LIKE IT

Residents of Lyon Street Are Not Pleased

They Claim That the Contract Has Beet Violated in the Method of Laying the Gravel.

among the taxpayers residing on Lyon street, between Barclay and Union streets, in regard to the work done by Contractor Collins on the street im-The dissatisfaction has become so genthirty miles between Grand Haven and eral that a meeting was held by those tion. Every city now is doing more or high school building last night, to express their opinions and to suggest means by which the trouble can be remedied. Among those present were J. Barnaby, H. Naysmith, E. A. Tread-Livingston and Mr. Cronkhite. The meeting was organized by electing George Rhodes as chairman and Heman Barlow secretary.

Stated the Object. James Rodgers stated the object for which the meeting had been called. He said the contract for the improvement of Lyon street was being violated and the taxpayers wish to take measures to have the work done according to the contract or to have the work discontinued. The secretary read a copy of Another Installment of Veterans for the the contract, which specified that the street should be graveled with thirteen and one-half inches of gravel, the foundation to be laid with six inches of pit gravel, the and friends, left yesterday for Wash- next six inches to be of screen gravel, ington to attend the encampment. The and a top dressing of one and one-half two cars, which were provided for the inches of coarse gravel. The contract accommodations of the veterans by expires September 20, and the work is Rice & Frost of this city, were gaily far from being completed. Mr. decorated and presented a fine appearing a soft and weak road bed. said when he spoke to Mr. Collins about it, he replied that some people do not

Know a Bad Thing. know a bad thing when they see it and he wanted the work discontinued.

Mr. Collins was present and stated his side of the case. Hs said in taking the contract he had virtually given the taxpayers \$2,300, on account of being able to use some of the material found in the street. This statement did not pacify the dissatisfied taxpayers, who said they cared nothing for the \$2,300, but wanted the contract complied with. After the matter had been discussed at length, a committee consisting of F. C. Temple, C. F. Idema and W. Cronkhite was appointed to lay their grievances before the board of public works and to report the board's action at a meet-ing to be held in the school building Tuesday evening.

# TOWNSHIP CAUCUSES.

Delegates to the County Convention Elected Yesterday.

Ada-D. J. McNaughton, Ed Pettis

and George Washburne. Nelson-Fred Hubbard, R. Farnam and C. B. Moon. Shear and D. C. Lisle.

R. A. Hastings, Spencer — Scott Griswold, James Hubb and E. L. Boynton. Delegates to the senatorial conven-

tion were elected as follows: Ada-John Headley, A. H. Turner, and James Ward. Nelson-David Walker, F. E. Shattuck and S. N. Daniels. Solon-Capt. W. P. Andrus, Col. L. M. Sellers and Lewis Beck.

Sparta-Charles H. Loomis, R. A. Hastings and Frank Stage. Representative delegates were Ada-William Farrell, David Winters and Dr. Van Amberg.

Nelson-H. D. Steetor, W. H. Sansum and F. E. Shattuck. Solon-E. S. Rose, E. C. Woodworth and J. M. Cole.

Special Church Notices.

The usual Sunday morning and evening services at Division Street M. E, church will be conducted by the Rev. R. S. Goodman. Universalist-Morning, "Revelation and the Inner Life."

Fountain Street Baptist-"Woman's Work for the New Civilization." Trinity-Morning, "The Good Old Times." Evening, "What Is a Gentle-Times.

man?" Progressive Spiritualist Society-Morning, questions answered pertaining to the phenomena and philosophy. Evening, "Our Homes in Spirit Life. Grand Rapids Spiritual Association-Morning subject taken from the audience. Evening subject, "Who and Where Is God?" Names and descrip-

tions of spirit friends at close of meet-17197 Mission Wood Presbyterian-Morn. ing, "Helping Every One His Neigh-Evening, "A Sare Care for

Unity-"Whither the Poet-Preach-New Jerusalem-Morning, "Saving

Others vs. Saving Self." Seventh Day Adventist Subject "Are We Warranted in Looking for the Personal Return of Christ in This Generation!

South Congregational Morning,
"The Duty of Spiritual Culture,"
Evening, "Choicea and Our Preparations to Meet 14." Y. P. S. C. E. at Killed On the D. L. & N. Word was received in this city yesterday that Martin Fisher, a telegraph inspector for the D. L. & N. Ra Iway company, was killed by an accident on

not given. Thrown From Her Carriage. Mrs. G. Haren was thrown from her carriage at the corner of East Fulton lance took her to her home on Eurion

avenue, mear the east city limits. Jewish New Year.

day. Divine services will be held at WILL SEE THE FAIR Temple Emanual Wednesday eve at n'clock and Thursday morning at 10 n'clock. Rabb F. W. Jesselson will officiate and deliver a sermon at each service. His subject in the evening will be "A Happy New Year."

Oratorio Rehearsal.

The regular rehearsal of the Oratorio ocusty will take place tomorrow evenng, corner State street and Jefferson avenue. There was a full attendance at the last meeting and during the past week there has been twenty-two applications for membership. Director Morehead will continue the examination of voices at his store from ill to Considerable discatisfaction exists 12:30 o'clock each day.

Lost 5700 in a Spree.

SAGINAW, Sept. 17 .- An important arrest has been made by Chief of Police Kain in the person of William Hard- absent. The special committee to agitate the city water question in your not doing the work in accordance with the terms and specifications of his conting the line of the a construction train with a crew of track repairers. The men had got into the habit of giving the checks which were paid to them for wages to Hard- President Fisher instructed Secretary interested in the matter at the Central | ing, who, on several occasions got them cashed and gave the men their money. Last Monday, it is claimed, Harding got checks amounting to \$700 cashed in a Detroit bank, but instead of paying the men skipped out. The chief was notified and captured the man in a Saginaw saloon. Harding says he lost the \$700 while on a spree in Detroit, but that \$200 belonged to himself. Detroit officer arrived tonight for the Fuller. prisoner.

Methodist Conference, HILLSDALE, Sept. 17 .- Dr. A. J. Kynette of Philadelphia, senior secretary of the church extension society, addressed the members of the conference Friday morning, as did also Dr. J. O. Peck, missionary secretary of New York. Bishop Fowler gave a fine address full of glad, wholesome advice to the class elected to deacon's orders. Among other things he said: "Young men, you are called to preach, not to talk gabble, not to get off little ditties, not to give quotations from hymn books. There are ten places in the church today for great preachers." The annual missionary sermon was preached this afternoon by the Rev. W. M. Suffer of Hastings. This evening was set apart for the anniversary of the missionary society.

Crushed Both Feet.

YPSHANH, Sept. 17.-Joe Scarrow, an Ypshanti boy, went to Wayne Thursday to visit his father, who works in the carriage factory. He returned on No. 7. which leaves Detroit at 9 Mr. Rodgers thought the tax payers o'clock p. m. To avoid paying fare he hid in front of the baggage car. At She'don's the train stopped to let off two passengers, and Scarrow attempted to leave the train before it stopped in fair. order to dodge the conductor. some unknown way he fell under the wheels and both feet were crushed. The two passengers who had left the train found him and sent him by the next freight train to Ypsilanti, where he died at 2 o'clock a. m. The young man was a printer by trade.

Crushed by a Grindstone,

SAGINAW, Sept. 17 .- The thirteen year old boy named John Wralp, employed in the harness department of Morley Bros., was fooling with some other boys and inadvertently stepped backwards through an open hatchway on the third floor. He grasped a heavy grindstone to keep his balance, but it rolled in with him and the two fell to the floor beneath. The boy was struck on the head by the stone and Caucuses were held in several of the sustained internal injuries, the extent

Wrecked and Quarantined. Jackson, Jept. 17.—Mrs. Thomas Secretary Stein, Trustees Chilver and Johnson of Jackson is now detained on Clark. board the steamer Wyoming at the New York quarantine. She will have Soion-E. C. Woodworth, George W. On her way over she was a passenger the board did not order this book he on board the City of Chicago when Sparta-L. E. Page, Henry Myers and that steamer was wrecked on the Irish coast. Mrs. Johnson writes that the passengers are well treated by the officers at quarantine, but are anxious to be set free.

Horse on the Track,

Cass Cirv. Sept. 17.—The mixed the boards adjourned. train on the P., O. & N. railway rap into a horse one mile south of this State News in place last night. One of the coaches left the track, was quite badly smashed were not burt, were brought here on | back of his residence. weeks.

Sneak Thieves at Portland.

PORTLAND, Sept. 17.-The Detroit, Lansing & Northern depot was entered longue two weeks a nee arrested eight by thieves at noon yesterday while the employes were away and tickets to Washington were taken. The thieves were frightened away before the safe could be broken open. The depot is just out of the village and is a favorite mark for thieves. This is the fourth time burgiars have entered it.

Want Better Jail Facilities. Ann Annon, Sept. 17.—The semi-an-nual inspection of the county jail has ing a ladder against a porch and taking been had by the judge of probate, superintendent of the poor and county jail officials. They found that 209 prisoners had been confined in the jail well-known citizen of Otsego, died on since the last inspection and that the Thursday. Thursday its life he had bein condition of the jail was only fair; also many public offices and verted bearly

dation of the prisoners. Has Been Robbed Four Times. Pournasu, Sept. 17.-Thieves went through the Detroit, Lansing & Northern depot while Agent Parks was ut dinner. It is believed that some tick-ets to Washington were taken. The than \$2,500. orawer was broken open but there was Willard Marvin, aged TR. for mearly no cash in the till. This is the fourth half a century a resident of Lenawee time in two years the depot has been

proted. Luther Beacher Dead.

Dermory, Sept. 17 -- Luther Beecher breathed his last at 7.33 last evening. He had been sick for about five weeks past, and most of that time was confined to his beil. His illness was due mainly to a general breaking of his erstem. On Thursday morning presionia set in and developed very rapidnemediate escent of death

Fire on Williamston.

while B. Branett was having his thresh. ing done, his two large harms caught his only, and the loss is \$1,000, from sparks from the engine and were a little box named His burned to the ground with their entire hart, Il years of age, riding as a lookey contents, hay, grad, ste. Loss about in a race at Enst Jordan on Friday. \$5,000. The amount that they were to entarned injuries that may prove sured for is not known.

Fire at Allegan.

covered to be on fire yesterday, after-Seven hundred bushels of

The Board of Education Passed a Resolution

TO CLOSE THE SCHOOLS FRIDAY

Thereby Permitting the Pupils of the City Schools to Visit One or Both

of the Two Pairs.

At 8 o'clock last evening President Fisher called the board of education to order. The mayor was present and Trustees Wagner and Maybury were the training school supervision reported in favor of such a committee. Then Stem to read the names of the committees appointed. They are as follows: Teachers-Felker, Husted, Blair, Stevens, Chilver, Maybury, Brinkman-Schools-Lacher, Wagner, Hagy, Van Bree, Leffingwell.

Text books-Stevens, Chilver, Houseman, Crossman and Andrus. Inbrary-FitsGerald, Stevens and

Ways and means-Blair, Fuller and Hagy. Claims and accounts-Maybury,

Stein and Crossman.

Buildings Bradfield, Van Bros, Leffingweil, Blandford and Rosson. Apparatus and school slibrary-Andrus, Paku and Brinkman. Grounds-Wagner, Clark, Bradfield,

Blandford and Locher. Supplies-Leflingweil, Palin, Crossman, Clark and Van Bree. Special training-Houseman, Husted, Fitzgerald, Rowson and Bradfield.

Accepted the Invitation, The German Evangelical church incited the board to attend a lecture to find out why the Lutherans mam-

tamed parochial schools. It was no Trustee Stevens offered a resolution for the construction of a sidewalk on

the Madison avenue side of the Madison avenue school. Adopted. Trustee Bradfield offered a resolution regarding the rental of additional school room on the corner of Division street and Stewart avenue, and also two store rooms on West Laonard street, the weekly rental to be \$3.50

Carried. Dr. Locher offered a resolution that the schools be closed Friday, September 23, to give pupils a coance to go to the

Opposed by Mr. Blatt.

Trustee Blair desired to know if there was any demand from pupils to attend the fair. Trustee Ho thought there was. Then Mr. Flacr said if the school week be broken into be wanted to see them have Thursday, which will naturally be the best day.
Trustee Stevens was glad the matter was brought up. He believed that the schools closed too often. The reschi-

tion was adopted by the following vote Yeas-Trustees Andrus, Brinkman, Chilver, Clark. Felker, FitsWersid, Hagy, Houseman, Husted, Leffingwell, Locher, Palin, Stein, Van Bree, The

Mayor, The President. Nays-Trustees Blair, Blandford. Bradfield, Crossman, Fuller, Rowson,

Stevens. Secretary Stein moved that the chairman appoint a committee of three to look after the printing of annual reports, Carried. The chair appointed

Superintendent Chalmers desired that Montgomery's history be adopted reason to remember her trip to Europe. as the standard text book. He said if would recommend Harnes' history, but he desired Montgomery's and wanted it quick, as history had been taught with no text books. Considerable discussion followed. Trustee Stevens moved that it be referred to the committee on text

books. Carried. There was no further business and

State News in Brief.

Oscar Schultze, aged 42 years, one of Saginaw's well-known citizens, was disand narrowly escaped going into the covered by his wife Friday morning river. The passengers, who fortunately hanging from a rafter in an out-house the locomotive. This is the second had been despondent for some time horse that has caused damage and de- over Ill-health and reverses in business, lay on this road within the past two A letter was found written by him last January saying that he expected to die soon, and wished his body cremated.

The Union City Law and Order poker players, and on Friday took in ton more, who had been playing cards and selling whisky. twenty-eight more are about to be made, charged with playing whist for CIGHIA.

The residence of A. L. Johnson, near

Girard, was contered by burgiars

Thursday night and 25 in money, beaides valuable articles of jewelry, a screen from a window in the second story. James Smith, a numb respected and

that it was too small for the accommo- all the countries of Europe, Asia and South America On Thursday, on the farm of Thomas Wolvertop of Grand Blanc, a burning strawstack dropped some sparks upon s barn, grammry and touthouse, and all

were consumed. The loss is not less Willard Marvos, aged 78, for mearly county, dust at his taten home in broken into. Local thieves are sus. Advanou Wednesday. He was a man of high character and was universally

estocomed. Mortimer Harrington, who was terri his munred in a runaway accumulat Segmen Tuesday, died Friday north mig at the residence of the ent. He

leaves a wife and o'kildren in Quice The movement under was in West Buy City to have string more closed on Sounday has fallen the mph. Two dynely, attacking both large. This was the giate refused to close and have their putrons come to Pay City to Seade,

Some malicious or careins pecans went into the barn of William Wellace, With Laborett, Sept. 17. Yesterday and hit hitton, Thorsday right and set it this S. Bennett was having his thresh on fire. It was filled with hey and

A little boy named Harry Ebele-Talah

Webster Lawis of Hurns township Anasone, Sept. 17.—The barn of Shunmasen county, was thrown down James Lowe in this tillage was done by he between and a land ridge passed covered to be on fire. The milk at Hudson traver been

wheat, a large quantity of har, and the obliged to rbut down a versi tomes of Each Hasharah or New Year will be building were consumed. Less from late, most of the lands be colleged by clinging by about the rolls.

WORLD'S FAIR.

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for the dedicatory services although

sustained to the day of opening there

with which everthing has been done

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every county of that oppressed country. It is the first dawn of nope for the final realisation of home rule that The Cook Artesian Well Syshas cheered the hearts of the despondent and discouraged sons of Erin. Home rule will not secure independence to Ireland but it will invest its people with self government. Nor will self government contemplate absolute government. There will be an Irish parliament with legislative functions Purcies desiring THE MERALD served but its jurisdictional powers will be limited. The right to review and to approve or veto its acts will remain in the Royal court. It will correspond by the board of public works some time to the Canadian form of government, ago, Fred A. Twamley, the secretary, except that the members of parlia- has been corresponding with cities in ment for Ireland will continue to at which the Cook well system is used, relin the English commons as at present. ative to obtaining a concensus of opinsecret will be thrown away onless accom. This is understood to be the plan as outlined by the Gladstonians, and system to furnish a permanent supply while it is not so radical as the extremists would insist upon having adopted,

that foreshadows a more lenient and humane government for Ireland, and For Gavernor at Laguer County, Joss T. Rica the whole world will applaud it.

For Lieutenant tovernor J. Wigney Generators For Lieutenant inventor J. Wheney Generical Water Supers.

For Secretary of that John W. Joseph of Margaelle County.

For Treasurer J. Supers W. Harmitan more or less effort made to secure a pure and adequate water supply. The fill Residence County of Residence Coun For Commissioner | State Land Office | State L these inquiries and investigations crop day, a newspaper report of which I out at irregular intervals and the suit-The Republicant of the Loweship of Walk or papers for a few days, and then it repared to the Lowesteenth senatorial lapses again. Just now the matter you to send your engineer here to incomes up again. The authorities have spect our works. We will put him in received a letter from Memphis in here and doubtless a great deal can be

which the well system is enthusiastical- learned." Other cities are proud of their reservoir of the well, Memphis papers said: systems, and tank systems, and standpipe systems, and conduit systems. cass. Those having a well system opinion. It would be wise to make a

Ms. ELLIS is confining his oratorical efforts to the backwoods' towns. He of this tube and connected to it, 350 doesn't want to see his free trade demiocratic speeches in print. Adolphus is a sly one, but he'll be dreadfully "broke up" when the votes are counted pressure of the water is such that it teachers. The girls sew on whatever

Tomorrow evening the Hon. Gerrit

example for the youth of the land.

COMMISSIONER PEOR is beset by a cha-

Jones Parron, Ju., scored a good

Sommony has intimated that the in-

for him to accept after it is written. ment of home rule. In pursuance to let it come in-

efficiency of any pumping system after the water is obtained.

ing the line of the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwsukse railroad for the Grand Repids is suggested as the direcless to arm itself against the dreaded cholera that is, even as I write, obtaintith year in the use of the Cook well While our beautiful hyetown has done so much in so many ways to develop and improve, her water supply has been and is a disgrace and discredit to us. Pray urge that there he no more Rodgers, Mr. Arnold, George Hart, Mr. makeshifts resorted to, but that at once attention be turned toward that great take where we can obtain an unfailing

Encampment. About thirty-eight members of Custer post, accompanied by their wives ance. The following are the names of | laid with loam instead of gravel, makthose that went: C. P. Coffin, Judge Adsit, T. C. Putuam and son, M. Wood, George W. Wheeler and wife, F. E. Meach and wife, S. P. Swartz, wife and | know a good thing when they see it. daughter, S. Baxter and wife, W. D. Frost and E. Rice of this city, James Huntley, C. Bloom, B. Van Raalte, John Kramer, H. Dyknouse of Holland, F. O. Vandersluis of Big Rapids, Gen. B. D. Pierce and Col. P. V. Fox. Ex-Mail Carrier Julius Caesar also went. An excursion train to the encampment started from Mackinaw City yesterday and had 120 passengers on board when it reached this city.

WILL PRESENT A MEMORIAL.

the river. The advantages of having a | the county convention were elected as extravagant with its water supply, taining it were discussed. Messrs. Sligh, Crosby and Shelby spoke in being the proportion, while in London favor of presenting a memorial to the

unanimously adopted. Yesterday afternoon the first meethall. The society is supported by the Young Women's Temperance Union, other teachers. About one hundred

Tendered a Reception. The Grand Rapids Spiritual association gave their speaker, Frank T. Ripley, a reception on Friday evening at the residence of L. D. Sanborn, on Lafayette street. About seventy were present. Games and social entertainment were indulged in and refreshments were served. Among the features of the occasion was the "Mystic Chamber," where the past and hidden future was made plain and anxiety reheved. Lost articles, it is said, could be found through the knowledge gained within. It was reported that

Good Templars Will Meet.

The Kent district lodge, I. O. G. T., its jurisdiction comprising Kent and Allegan counties, will hold its annual

World's Fair Notes. here as in Mempiles have can be no pair of sleights for exhibition. Mr. moon and was painfully injured about previous about the supply. The strata Hill thinks a load of 100 tons weight her back and neck. The city ambu-